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Art Unit : 1638  
Examiner : Anne R. Kubelik  
Serial No. : 09/251,638  
Filed : February 17, 1999  
Inventors : Henry Daniell  
Title : GENETIC ENGINEERING OF COTTON  
: TO INCREASE FIBER STRENGTH, WATER  
: ABSORPTION AND DYE BINDING

Docket No.: 10742-005

Dated: June 1, 2005

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a five-month extension of time to respond to the Communication dated December 30, 2004, in the application identified above. Our check in the amount of \$1080 is enclosed to cover the required fee.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 6-1-05

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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**Complete if Known**

Application Number	09/251,638
Filing Date	2/17/1999
First Named Inventor	Henry Daniell
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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

50      25

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200      100

Multiple dependent claims

360      180

Total ClaimsExtra ClaimsFee (\$)Fee Paid (\$)Multiple Dependent ClaimsFee (\$)Fee Paid (\$)

- 20 or HP = \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

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HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other: 5 month extension of time

Fees Paid (\$)

\$1080.00

**SUBMITTED BY**

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